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PATENT APPLICATION

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Examiner Name: Tung S. Lau	}	Washington, D.C. 20231
Title: PUMP AND METHOD FOR FACILITATING MAINTENANCE AND ADJUSTING OPERATION OF SAID PUMP	}	on <u>March 15, 2004</u>
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AMENDMENT AFTER APPEAL

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed April 21, 2003, in connection with the above-identified application, reconsideration and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested for the reasons expressed herein below.